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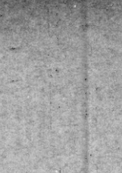

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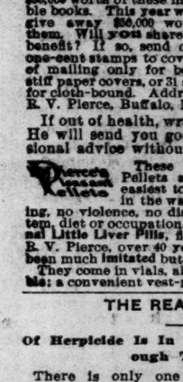

is what Mrs. Lucy Stovall, of Tilton, Ga., said after taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Hundreds of other weak women are being restored to perfect health by this remedy. YOU may be well if you will take it.

Indigestion causes nearly all the sickness that women have. It deprives the system of nourishment and the delicate organs peculiar to women suffer—weaken, and become diseased.

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Our Dunkard Neighbors.

The members of the Fairfax German Baptist Brethren Church, held their tall love feast on Saturday the 16th inst., in their commodious new church-house dedicated April 10th, 1904, at Oakton, Fairfax county, the number of communicants present being 94.

They met for examination or preparatory service at 3:30 in the afternoon, the tables already having been set and covered with the neat white covers. The tables are not served, however, until time for the evening services.

The love feast of communion services, always held in the evening, embrace feet washing, the Lord Supper, the holy kiss, and the communion of the bread and cup. In feet washing, each washes and wipes the feet of the next one, and so on around. Next the supper is eaten; this is a simple meal and consists of beef or mutton, soup made of the meat, broth, bread, butter and water. Though simple, this is a full meal, taken in anticipation of the marriage supper of the Lamb, when He shall come forth to serve us. Following the supper is the kiss of charity (love), or holy kiss, making an unbroken chain and renewal of the ties of fellowship. The concluding ordinance of the evening is the communion of the bread and cup of the New Testiment, the brethren breaking the bread, when started by the officiating elder, each one to the next, and the sisters being supplied by the Bishop officiating. When supplied they all eat at the same time. The cup is passed from each brother to the next, the sisters being served, as in the case of the bread, by the elder officiating. All are on a common level; the hired girl or hired man may sit by the side of an employer and have the humble service of feet washing performed by them, or vice versa.

The love feast was observed by the early Christian church until in the fourth century, when the Laodicean council issued a decree abolishing it, because some were made to sin thereby. This and several similar decrees, however, did not secure the entire abolition in all the churches until late in the seventh century.

This congregation was organized February 7, 1903, from part of the territory of the Manassas congregation, and consists of Alexandria city, and Alexandria, Fairfax and Loudoun counties. There were 32 charter members, the membership now numbering 113. Of the increase, 36 have been received by baptism, the remainder by letter.

The ministerial force, which serves without salary, consists of Elder Samuel A. Sanger, elder or bishop in charge; Elder Albert Hollinger, and Isaac M. Neff and John M. Kline, ministers in the second degree. Ministers are elected from the deacons and laity, to the first degree. On proving faithful to the duties of the office they are advanced to the second degree, and later, if qualified, they may be advance to the full ministry; that is, the office of elder or bishop.

There are ten deacons whose duty it is to visit the sick, see after the poor, pay the annual visit to the members, prepare for the love feasts and assist the ministry generally in the church work as may be required. Deacons are elected from the laity.

This congregation has Sunday school at 10, preaching at 11 and Christian Workers' Meeting in the evening each Sunday. They also have a Missionary Reading Circle with bi-weekly meetings, and a Sisters' Aid Society, with meetings each month.

What a New Coal Strike Would Mean in Prices.

In the matter of wages, says Mr. David Willcox, in the North American Review, the coal strike of 1902 advanced them about twelve per cent. The miners received a general advance of ten per cent. The other employes, constituting fifty-five per cent. of the whole, received a raise of 11 1-9 per cent. by reason of having their wages computed on a nine-hour instead of a ten-hour basis. Both classes of employes had their wages fixed on a basis of $4.50 as the selling price for coal. A sliding scale was also established, so that the employes would share in any increase in the price of coal. The total sum which these increases entailed in the matter of mining coal was $16,400,000, which had to be borne in the main by the domestic sizes of coal, constituting as they do sixty-one per cent. of the total output. To grant an increase of 7 6-10 per cent. to the company hands by granting an eight-hour day now would mean an increase in the cost of mining of $4,350,000, with an increase, probably, in the price of domestic sizes, and such action would be merely overruling the award of the strike commission into the bargain.

The Colonel's Waterloo.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from Liver and Kidney trouble. In a recent letter he says, "I was nearly dead. of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold, and guaranteed to cure Dyspepsia, Billiousness and Kidney Disease, by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists, at 50c a bottle.

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1 lot 18x36 Moquette Mats at	98c
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1 lot 36x72 Moquette Rugs, beautiful floral and Persian designs. Special values	$3.50
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1 lot All-wool Ingrain Art Squares. Size 9x12 feet. Special value	$9.00
1 (only) 8 ft. 3 in. x 10 ft. 6 in. Smith's Axminster Drugget, worth $20. Special at	$16.50
2 (only) 9x12 feet Smith's Axminster Druggets, beautiful patterns; worth $25, at	$20.00
1 yard wide Floor Oil Cloth at, per yard, 19c and	25c
1½ yards wide Floor Oilcloth per running yard	40c
2 yards wide Floor Oilcloth. Special value, per running yard	50c
1 lot China Matting, 20c value, reduced to, per yard	16c
25c China Mattings, reduced to, per yard	20c
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sep22 1w GEO. E. CALVERT.

NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

Gas bills for the quarter ending September 1, 1905, having been delivered, this is to notify all consumers that the usual discount will be allowed on all bills paid on or before OCTOBER 1, 1905. After that date no discount will be allowed and delinquents will be required to make early settlement. By order of the Committee on Light.
sep25td J. B. WALLER, Clerk of Gas.

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It will pay you to examine our stock and get our prices.

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429 KING STREET.

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA.

In the matter of William B. Adams, Bankrupt. } No. 27 in Bankruptcy. Petition for Discharge

On this 22d day of September, A. D. 1905, on reading the foregoing petition of William B. Adams, bankrupt, it is ordered by the Court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 5th day of October, A. D. 1905, before said court, at Alexandria, in said district, at 12 o'clock noon; and that notice thereof be published in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Edmund Waddill, jr., Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof, at Alexandria, in said district, on the 22d day of September, A. D. 1905.

Attest: GEORGE E. BOWDEN, Clerk.
By R. P. W. GARNETT, Deputy Clerk.
sep23,30

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Three fine building lots on north Columbus street, between Queen and Princess streets (Courthouse Square). Each has a frontage of 20 feet and a depth of 110 feet to an alley 13 feet 5 inches wide. For prices and terms apply to

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Gowns, $2.75 to $8.75.	Were $3.50 to $10.50.
Drawers, $2 to $15.	Were $3 to $25.
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Petticoats, $15,	Were $25.

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NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
sep19 10t Administrator.

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA:

I hereby respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Courts, subject to the decision of a democratic primary.

Having been deputy to the late John S. Beach, I refer my fellow citizens to my record in the discharge of my duties is that capacity as to my fitness and qualifications to succeed to the office of the clerk. I solicit the support of my fellow citizens and ask their endorsement.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY.
Alexandria, Va., September 15, 1905.

TO MY FELLOW CITIZENS:

I will be a candidate for CLERK OF THE CORPORATION COURT of the city of Alexandria, subject to the primary, to be held on Thursday, October 12th, and request your support.

I have been a loyal democrat from my first vote to my last. Since my youth I have devoted my best endeavors at every election to my party. Should I be chosen to the office I will devote my full time to the work, and endeavor, as best in me lies, to so conduct the office that all work will be kept up to date, and every one having business there will receive immediate attention.

My aim and chief desire will be to have a model office, with everything in order and proper place.

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sep22 td CHARLES BENDHEIM.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE SECOND WARD: I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of MAGISTRATE for the Second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary, to be held October 12th. Thanking you in advance for your vote and support. I am, yours,
sep22 3t* FRANK MASON.

FOR MAGISTRATE.—I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Magistrate for the Second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary, October 12, and solicit your vote and support.
WILLIAM A. MOORE, Sr.
sep21 2w*

NOTICE.—I hereby announce myself a candidate for JUSTICE OF THE PEACE of the Second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary. I am an old soldier, have been a resident of the city for 20 years and now ask my friends for their support.
JOHN W. BURSON.
sep27 td

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SIC SEMPER TYRANNIS

THURSDAY EVENING, SEP. 28, 1905.

THAT THE Equitable Life Assurance Society has for years been furnishing the funds with which its officers and directors engaged in syndicate operations, and that the profits from these operations are most difficult of discovery from the books, was clearly established at yesterday's hearing before the Armstrong legislative committee in New York. The principal witness was H. R. Winthrop, financial manager of the Equitable. From his testimony it was shown that the "and associates" syndicates which have figured so largely in the Equitable scandal were in full and regular command of the society's funds. That these syndicates realized profits was proven, but Mr. Winthrop confessed repeatedly his inability to find where the profits realized from this use of the society's money had been paid into its treasury, or, at least, entered upon its books. It was shown that $110,284, representing profits which should have gone to the Equitable in syndicate transactions, was either missing altogether or unaccounted for on the society's books, and that campaign gifts and lobbyist's fees were paid from the notorious $685,000

A NATIONAL BANK, in Pittsburg, is the institution which Homer L. Castle, prohibition candidate for Superior Court judge, of Pennsylvania, Tuesday night charged, in his Greensburg speech, with having loaned $75,000 on notes indorsed by ex-State Senator Arthur Kennedy, Francis J. Torrence, the Allegheny city leader, and ex-State Senator William H. Andrews, on condition that a State deposit of $100,000 be placed with the bank. It seems that many of the big banking institutions in the north are now using the people's money for political purposes and to keep the republican party in power in cities and States as well as the country at large.

ANNOUNCEMENT is made in Richmond that plans for the reception of President Roosevelt, October 18, so far arranged include a luncheon to cost $10 a plate and to be enjoyed by 300 persons. The head of the nation is to speak in the Capitol Square, but there will be no reception. He is to be closely guarded while there by the Richmond Howitzers. This is new Richmond. In the older and better days neither artillery, sabres nor muskets would have been required to guard a President; neither would a money-making banquet have been given where any one who would pay the price could put his legs under the mahogany with the chief executive.

FOOD and fodder are going to be abundant for another year. The Department of Agriculture reports that from 75 to 90 per cent. of the corn is safe from frost, and the rest will be in another week. Secretary Wilson adds as the result of his own observation that the reports of enormous crops are not exaggerations. In the Dakotas the small grain crops are the best for six or seven years, and in half a dozen of the northwestern States the corn crop is the best ever known. The prosperity of the farmers makes the whole country prosperous.

A PLAN to give all survivors of the civil war a pension of $12 a month will be proposed to President Roosevelt by Corporal James Tanner, former commissioner of pensions and recently elected commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic. The plan is incorporated in a service pension bill prepared by the Grand Army and indorsed at three successive national encampments. Corporal Tanner will take up the matter with the President in the near future. The G. O. P. will use its utmost endeavor to prevent a surplus ever existing in the treasury.

THE Gazette's Richmond correspondent telegraphed yesterday concerning the approaching visit of President Roosevelt to that city: "The President directs that he be under heavy guard during his entire visit." There was a time in Richmond when such a "direction" would have been met by a prompt withdrawal of the invitation to visit that city, but times change and men change with them. There are no "King killers" in Virginia and the President is as safe within her borders as he is within the walls of the well guarded White House.

IN REFERENCE to the statement that he aided in having federal troops brought into the State during President Grant's administration, Judge Lewis, now the republican candidate for Governor of Virginia, says he acted upon the evidence before him, and that he merely did his sworn duty in the premises, for which he had no apology to make to any one. But the people of Virginia will administer to him a severe rebuke on the seventh of November next.

SECRETARY TAFT, who has just returned from his junketing tour, says the independence of the Philippines must be postponed—until another generation. This was Spain's reply to the Filipinoes for three hundred years.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., Sept. 28.

Despondent over family troubles, Armstead M. Herrell, white, 43 years old, of Berryville, Va., committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas at 1004 6th street, n. w., last night, in the bath room of his former home. His lifeless body was discovered about 7:30 this morning by his young son, Hardee, who was sent to find his father. Herrell failed to return home last night and as he had often declared that he would end all his troubles some day and had made attempts on his life before, Mrs. Herrell became alarmed when her husband did not come home last night, and sent her son to find him. The sight that greeted the young boy when he discovered his father prone upon the floor of the bath room in the vacant house with a rubber tube protruding from his mouth and the other end attached to the gas jet, the window cracks stuffed with paper and all the signs that indicated premediated suicide, made the child frantic with grief. His first act was to run to his home on K street where the family had moved from the 6th street house and notify his mother. A passing policeman was notified. The coroner investigated the case later, giving a certificate of suicide. Herrell, who came to this city from Berryville, several months ago, to seek employment, is a jobbing contractor and expected to procure work in Washington. About a month ago all the money that he had saved was used up in keeping the family in the bare necessities of life. This was the first time that his declaration to end his life was made manifest to his wife. Twice since that time he has tried to commit suicide. Arrangements for the funeral have not been made. The body of the unfortunate man was turned over to Undertaker Lee to await final disposition.

Civil Governor Magoon of the canal zone cables the Isthmian Canal Commission today as follows regardihg yesterday's conflagration at Colon: "Seventeen houses burned; estimated loss $75,000 gold. Insignificant damage to railway warehouse. One hundred and fifty burned out, temporary provisions being made to house them."

Consul Anderson, at Amoy, has reported to the Department of Commerce and Labor that the general sentiment in China against granting railroad concessions to foreigners is due to the influence of Chinese students in Japan. They have learned that Japan built her own railroads and they want China to do the same The consul points out the enormous increase in the number of Chinese students in Japan.

Musician Shot by Woman.

Mrs. Jennie L. May, 32 years old, met Lucien Conen, 22 years old, a musician in the United States Marine Band, at the corner of Seventh and E streets southeast Washington, last night and, pulling a revolver from the folds of her dress, shot him in the back. The bullet passed through Conen's lungs, and the physicians at Providence Hospital, where he was taken, say that he is in a critical condition. The parties to the shooting were together only a few minutes and had spoken only one or two words. Mrs. May says that she shot Conen because he circulated slanderous reports regarding her character. Mrs. May's husband is also a member of the Marine Band. It appears that they had quarreled last night over something Conen had told a fellow-member of the band concerning Mrs. May which had reached the ears of her husband. Mrs. May was arrested and taken to the fifth precinct police station. She refused to discuss the shooting.

Accidentally Shot.

Albert Overstreet, of Montvale, was accidentally shot at the fair grounds at Roanoke yesterday afternoon by Detective Albert Baldwin as the result of interfering with the arrest of pickpockets William Baldwin and Albert and John Copenhaver caught three men picking the pockets of Ballard Wyrick, of Pulaski. They arrested the men. While they were taking them out of the grounds Overstreet rushed up, endeavored to take the prisoner from Copenhaver and made a motion as if to draw a gun. Albert Baldwin struck him on the head with his pistol and it was discharged, the ball taking effect in the left side of Overstreet. Overstreet was taken to the hospital and it is said that his condition is very serious. He denied making any attempt to take the prisoner, and said he did not know anything about the trouble or who struck him. Parties from Bedford say he is half-witted.

Divorce Granted to Richard K. Fox.

Richard K. Fox received a decree of absolute divorce in New York yesterday, it having been established that Mrs. Helen A. Fox, at 58 years of age and after 20 years of matrimony, eloped with Alfred Stein, a beardless young officer of the Hungarian army, under the name of "Herminia Fucas," which is a rather free translation into German of "Helen Fox." Mrs. Fox, according to the testimony, sailed with Stein, who was booked on the steamship New York as "Alfred O. Freiburg," on January 21, 1904, while her husband and a son by a former marriage were at Palm Beach, Florida, for their health. They returned in October and Mrs. Fox visited the young military man at his lodging for some weeks. Then they eloped for good and are now living in Paris.

A Generous Bequest.

James L. Bowen, an aged resident of Craig county, who long ago was a pupil in the blind department of the State School for the Deaf and the Blind at Staunton, dying last month left a farm and other property valued at $5,000 to the institution to provide for gifts and Christmas presents for the poor pupils there. The board sees that each pupil is provided for at Christmas, yet the deceased probably had in mind that some of the pupils there are so friendless that they come to the school very lightly clad and that those who are friendless should have "a Christmas box from home" like unto the rest.

New W. C. T. U. Officers.

At the meeting of the State Woman's Christian Temperance Union in Portsmouth yesterday officers for the coming year were elected, as follows: Mrs. Howard M. Hoge, of Richmond, president; Mrs. Lilian A. Shepherd, of Norfolk, secretary; Mrs. Faith Thomas Parrott, of Henrico county, recording secretary; Mrs. E. B. Clement, of Chesterfield county, treasurer.

News of the Day.

The Episcopal convention of the Diocese of New York voted against division yesterday.

Bishop Potter, of New York, in his triennial charge to the clergy of his diocese, declares that climatic conditions and the manner of modern American living demand the observance of the Sabbath.

The grand jury's investigation of the alleged election frauds in Richmond has been completed, and the jury now is engaged in preparing its report. It is understood that there will be no additional indictments found.

The First National Bank, of Orrville, O., yesterday closed its doors by order of the Comptroller of the Currency, on account of a continuous run upon the bank. George T. Cutts, national bank examiner, has been appointed receiver. This is a small bank with a capital of $25,000.

It is probable that Congressman John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi, the floor leader of the House, will make several speeches in Virginia in behalf of Congressman Swanson's candidacy. A barbecue has already been arranged for him at Salem, where he is to appear October 20. Senator-elect Isador Rayner, of Maryland, also has promised to lend a helping hand to the democrats of Virginia.

A semi-official note issued in Paris Tuesday evening, after a lengthy conference at the Foreign Office between Prince von Radolin, Premier Rouvier, Dr. Rosen, the new German Minister to Morocco, and M. Revoil, former Governor of Algiers, who has represented France in the negotiations with Dr. Rosen, states that the negotiators entirely agreed on the French point of view relative to the Moroccan situation.

A dispatch from Gothenburg, Sweden, says that a severe earthquake was felt at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday at Lundby, Hisingen Island. It cracked the walls of houses and fissured the surface of the ground. Subterranean rumblings were quickly followed by the violent rocking of houses and the splitting of inner and outer walls, driving the inmates to seek safety in the open air. It many places fissures a foot wide were opened up while the level of the ground in the eastern part of the island sank appreciably. The disturbances lasted a minute.

The liner Korea arrived at San Francisco yesterday from the Orient. Among her passengers were Secretary of War Taft and most of the members of a party which left with him for the far East on the Manchuria on July 8 last. In a lengthy interview Secretary Taft described the journey made by his party, outlining also its purposes. He says he and his party were warmly received wherever they stopped. They lunched with the Emperor of Japan. He spoke of the improvement of the government at Manila but said the political situation is not as good as it should be. The question of independence was discussed, but he says this must be postponed until another generation.

The fire at Colon yesterday broke out in a building next to the residence of the Spanish Consul and soon destroyed the Phoenix Hotel, an American owned building, and two other hotels, several liquor saloons and several tenement buildings. Rowels Building, containing the postoffice, the offices of the municipality, of Governor Melendez, the port inspectors, the judiciary and other offices, together with the Treasury Building, also were burned. Nearly all the records and documents of the Government were destroyed. The burned region comprises two blocks. The American residential quarter was not touched. The sanitary authorities are erecting tents in the fire zone to shelter the homeless.

Death of W. H. Peckham.

W. H. Peckham, the well-known lawyer, died yesterday in his office at 80 Broadway, New York. His death was sudden, for when he started for his office from his summer home in Morristown, N. J., yesterday morning, he was feeling better than he had for sometime.

Wheeler Hazard Peckham was born in Albany in 1833 and came from a family of lawyers. His father was Rufus W. Peckham, who was elected district attorney of Albany county in 1838, and who perished in the wreck of the Ville du Havre, November 22, 1873.

In politics Mr. Peckham was a democrat, although he always insisted on his right to refuse to support unworthy candidates. He was frequently delegated to State and national conventions, and his opinion and advice were always welcomed.

In January, 1894, President Cleveland nominated Mr. Peckham for the Supreme Court at a time when he was president of the New York State Bar Association. The nomination, however, was not confirmed by the Senate, because of the opposition of the New York senators to Mr. Peckham's anti-machine democracy. In 1896 he took a firm stand in favor of sound money.

Tore up Verdict.

As a coroner's jury was yesterday drawing up a verdict at Elizabell, the county seat of Bryan county, Ga., declaring W. E. Simms guilty of murder, the out-law, heavily armed, strode into the courthouse where the jury was at work, waited till the verdict was written out, then snatched it from the foreman's hand and tore it up, meanwhile swearing that he would kill any man who ever aided in drawing up another verdict against him. Simms has created a reign of terror in Bryan county. In the last three weeks he has killed three men, and he declares that he intends to kill others. Many persons have sought safety in flight, rather than take a chance of being killed by the desperado. All of the witnesses who testified in the courthouse against Simms have left Elizabell, where Simms is guarding himself from attack from the officers and where he declares he will eventually kill all who have given the officers any information. The sheriff seems to be powerless, and the governor has been asked to order troops to the county to put an end to the terror existing. Simms comes of a prominent family, and has relatives all through the county.

A Remedy Without a Peer.

"I find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used for stomach rouble," says J. P. Klote, of Edina, Mo. For any disorder of the stomach, biliousness or constipation, these Tablets are without a peer. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Virginia News.

William R. Willis, a prominent retired business man, dropped dead at his home in Winchester after rising yesterday morning. He was about fifty-eight years old.

Miss Annie Laura Sheltham and Mr. Thomas McNolan Jones, a runaway couple from Buena Vista, were married in Hagerstown, Md., yesterday, a few minutes after the midnight hour.

There is a rumor that Rev. Dr. W. E. Evans, of Richmond, will be called to Christ Church, Norfolk, and members of the congregation have expressed a preference for him as the successor of Rev. Carl E. Grammer, who has resigned to go to Philadelphia.

Mary Thomas, colored, was buried in Norfolk Tuesday. Her relatives declare that she was born in Perquimans county, North Carolina, August 5, 1792, and that she was 113 when she died. She had lived in Norfolk since 1862, when she came within the federal lines during the war.

The annual session of Westmoreland Camp of Confederate Veterans was held at Montross yesterday, about 700 persons being present. Dr. M. M. Walker introduced the speakers—Major Robert W. Hunter, of Winchester, and Mr. W. B. Sanders, of White Stone, Lancaster county. A sumptuous dinner was served.

Miss Alice Hall, daughter of C. W. Hall, of Beaver Dam, was struck by a Chesapeake and Ohio train while out driving yesterday afternoon. Her hip was broken and she was injured internally, besides receiving a serious scalp wound that may prove to be a fracture. She was operated on last night, but is not expected to live until morning.

The colored insurance investigators have at last submitted their report, which gives the exact strength and standing of the colored insurance companies of the State. Several of the companies were found not to be reliable and were asked to discontinue business. There were twelve companies in the State, and of this number only six will continue operation.

According to the report of an expert who has made a thorough examination of the Richmond gas works there is danger of an entire collapse of the plant at any time, shutting off the city's supply almost indefinitely. The plant was built when Richmond was about half its present size. It is said that $1,500,000 will be required to put the plant into proper condition.

The jury in the case of the Commonwealth against Raleigh B. Dawson, the Pittsylvania county merchant, who was charged with attempting a criminal assault upon Bessie Shelton, a 16-year-old deaf and dumb girl in Lynchburg on June 15 last, returned a verdict yesterday morning, giving the accused a term of six months in the city jail for a common assault.

A shot was fired at Reverend and Mrs. J. S. Ryland while they were driving along the road in Caroline county a day or two ago. The shot went through the curtain of the buggy and some of them lodged in the shoulder of both Mrs. Ryland and Mr. Ryland. They hurried home and summoned the doctor. Their injuries, however, were not serious. The shooting is supposed to have been done by some drunken person.

Rev. Calvin J. Racey, a well-known minister of the United Brethern Church, was the victim of an accident yesterday at Whitacre, Frederick county, which, it is feared, will prove fatal. His left arm was torn off near the shoulder. After sharpening an axe at W. C. Whitacre's mill, Mr. Racey attempted to straighten a tangled belt. He was drawn into the machinery and whirled around the shaft and pulley with frightful velocity. A mill band, hearing his agonizing cries, stopped the machinery. Three doctors amputated the mangled stump yesterday evening.

Riots in Budapesth.

Between 40 and 50 persons were injured in riots at Budapesth, Hungary yesterday evening, when socialists and adherents of the coalition parties, including students, clashed opposite the Royal Hotel, and for two hours there were scenes of tremendous excitement. The Royal Hotel is the headquarters of the Independence Club, in which the council room of the coalition leaders is located.

The students and other supporters of the coalition had arranged for a gigantic torchlight procession last night, but during the day the socialists issued inflammatory proclamations calling on all socialists and others opposed to the coalition to gather and fight for their rights, which they said the coalition was trying to sidetrack under cover of an alleged affront by the King Emperor to the whole nation. Owing to these proclamations the coalition leaders decided to postpone the torchlight procession, seeking thus to avoid bloodshed.

At 8 o'clock about 1,500 socialists gathered outside the Independence Club and announced their intention of entering and tearing down the council room. A large force of police was present and was assisted by 150 prominent citizens.

The committee of the coalitionists has issued a manifesto to the nation in reply to the programme submitted to its leaders by the Emperor King. The manifesto declares that some points of his Majesty's programme are not in conformity with the constitution, referring especially to his contention that the question of the language of command in the Hungarian army must be entirely eliminated from discussion. It is asserted that this is equivalent to the abolition of the nation's right to control its own affairs, for which there is no legal authority.

The newspapers charactize the statements of the Austrian Premier, Baron Gautch von Frankenthurn, in the Reichsrath Tuesday as unwarrantable interference with Hungary's internal affairs.

The old trouble between Hungary and Austria, between the Magyars and the Germans, with which Emperor Francis Joseph has had to contend over since he mounted the throne, nearly 60 years ago, and which was not new then, has reached a particularly acute stage and may result in the long-threatened disruption of Austria-Hungary, although such an event may not be in the plans of the leaders in the present struggle.

Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality, from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills, E. Flannery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and Billiousness." 25c at E. S. Leadbeater, & Sons, druggists.

Today's Telegraphic News

Final Meeting.

Paris, Sept. 28.—The final meeting between M. Revoil, the French representative, who has been in charge of the negotiations in regard to the proposed international conference on Moroccan affairs, and Dr. Rosen, the German Minister to Morocco, has been announced for this afternoon. It is expected that after their conference Premier Rouvier will receive both diplomats and the agreement reached by France and Germany on the subject will be signed.

Paris, Sept. 28.—An official announcement was made today that an agreement had been reached with Germany on the Moroccan question.

Paris, Sept. 28.—The formal announcement of the agreement between Germany and France in regard to Morocco, outlining the programme of reforms to be considered at the proposed conference of the powers, was signed this afternoon. The text of the agreement as it has been set out, gives the greatest satisfaction here as the outcome of the negotiations is regarded as a complete diplomatic victory for France, inasmuch as she gains all the points on which she took issue with Germany. On the other hand, the view is held that Germany has allowed herself to be placed in an absurd position. She insisted upon certain conditions almost to the point of causing a rupture of friendly relations with France, and then gracefully acceded to the French demands.

Berlin, Sept. 28.—The claim is made here that Germany made extensive concessions to secure the peaceful agreement today with France in regard to Morocco. In the negotiations just closed it is asserted that Germany assumed the role of a self-sacrificing apostle of peace. It is certain that Germany conceded more than France did in order to settle the long pending disputes which threatened at times to become serious. Germany's aim, apparently, is to conciliate France on the Moroccan question, which is of minor importance, in the hope of paving the way for a general rapproachement which will be favorable to her desire to form a coalition of the powers to offset the recent Anglo-Japanese alliance.

Destruction of a Steamer.

Port Said, Egypt, Sept. 28.—The British steamer Chatham which was sunk in the canal on September 6, because she was on fire and a quantity of dynamite in her hold threatened to explode, was blown up this morning. Two mines containing 500 pounds of gelatine dynamite were placed under the vessel and were exploded by electricity from a point three miles away. Ninety tons of dynamite were in the hull of the Chatham and a terrific explosion followed. The vessel was blown to pieces. The wreckage now entirely blocks the canal and all traffic has been stopped. It is believed that little damage was done to the canal, although it had been feared that the bed would be badly injured by such a tremendous explosion. Further particulars giving exact details, however, are awaited with the greatest anxety. The explosion occurred at a point twelve miles from here and a train bearing newspaper correspondents has been sent to the spot.

It is hoped to reopen the Suez canal within four days as the wreckage is being cleared away. The closing of the canal, to avoid all danger during the blowing up of the Chatham has caused a great congestion of shipping, resulting in immense loss and sending the prices of goods up 50 per. cent. Late reports received from the scene of the explosion indicate that the canal was not badly damaged, by the blowing up of the vessel.

M. Witte Reaches Home.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 28.—M. Witte arrived home at 8.26 this morning at an hour when most of the citizens of St. Petersburg were asleep. The railway station was filled with officials of the Ministry of Finance and with personal friends of the peace envoys and many newspaper men, but there were no crowds in the streets to greet the returning statesman who had brought peace to his country. M. Witte proceeded at once to his home, where he was joyously greeted by Madame Witte. He was the receipient of numerous floral offerings, which had been sent to his home. The unusually cordial reception which was accorded to M. Witte by the Kaiser, during the envoy's visit to the German ruler, has made a deeper impression here that did all of M. Witte's work at Portsmouth. His enemies have been frightened by the Kaiser's very evident friendship for him, and even the Czar has been greatly impressed by the high favor in which M. Witte is held by Emperor William.

Before leaving the station M. Witte made a short address to the officials and friends who had gathered to greet him. As the envoy descended from the train, the spokesman of the crowd made a short speech expressing the appreciation of the people for his services in concluding the war. M. Witte made a suitable response.

Steamer Launched.

Belfast, Ireland, Sept. 28.—The new steamer of the Holland-American line, the New Amsterdam, of 17,000 tons, was launched today at the yards of Harland & Wolff, and her dip into the water was marked by many exciting incidents. A strong wind drove the vessel up the river and she ran down a buoy. She then drifted ashore, and, when got off, struck the pier head wall, completely blocking the river until tugs could secure her. One man was badly injured during the launching. The New Amsterdam is of 12,000 horse power, and it is expected that she will have a speed of seventeen knots. She is 600 feet in length, and has a beam of sixty-six feet.

Letter to Prof. Blackford.

Alexandria, Va.

Dear Sir: Why don't we make paint, as many others do, to go three-quarters as far, or two-thirds, or half, or a third, or a quarter?

Mr. Aaron Higgins, Plainfield, N. J., always used 15 gallons of paint for his house; Devoe took 11.

There are two sorts of paint; all paint, true paint, strong paint, full-measure; and part paint, false paint, weak paint, short-measure.

The paint-manufactures are two sorts: Devoe and the rest.

Yours truly,
F W DEVOE & CO
68 New York

P. S.—E. S. Leadbeater & Sons sell our paint.

DIED.

On Wednesday, September 27, at 5:40 p. m., LUCILLE ADELE TOY, daughter of the late R. J. and Ida V. Toy (nee Miller), aged 3 years and 6 days. Of such is the kingdom of heaven. Funeral will take place Friday at 3:30 p. m., from the residence of her grandfather, J. R. Miller, 624 south Patrick street. Interment private.

Fom Richmond

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., Sept. 28.—The grand jury reported to Judge Witt today in the election fraud cases and were unable to find further true bills. This ends the matter, and all nominations made in the primary will stand.

Mr. Willard has just made a handsome contribution to the democratic campaign fund, the amount of which requires four figures to state. Mr. Willard will succeed Mr. Fairfax as corporation commissioner Monday.

Boy Kidnapped.

New York, Sept. 28.—The police and detectives of Brooklyn today are seeking trace of Antonio Mareanina, the six-year-old son of a merchant living at No. 556 Seventeenth street. Mareanina, who is employed by Michael J. Daby, a contractor, is regarded by his neighbors as well off. The police are taking unusual interest in the case, as the boy is a cousin of Antonio Mannino, who was kidnapped in practically the same manner about a year ago. The demands for ransom money in both cases have been identical, and it is thought the same gang is blame for both kidnappings. Since the disappearance of his boy Mareanina has received four letters. The first demanded $500 for the return of the child. The last letter received said that unless the money was paid, and quickly, the boy could be "sent home in a box". The boy disappeared about noon Sunday. He was playing in the street with several companions when, the other children say, two men dressed in dark clothes, called the boy to the corner of Fifth avenue and Seventeenth street. The boy went around the corner with the men and that was the last seen of him. The children were able to give only a poor description of the men to the police, who kept the matter quiet until today.

The Currency.

Clevelond, Ohio, Sept. 28.—Secretary Shaw speaking before the annual convention of the Ohio Bankers Association in this city today, said in part: "The fact, and I think it is a fact, that the United States has the best currency system in the world, does not imply that the currency system of the United States is perfect or that it cannot be improved. It is as safe as any system in the world because it is established on the only safe basis known to man, the gold standard. "The system is not perfect largely because it is nonelastic. It fails to respond in volume to the changing needs of seasons and localities. Attention has been called to this many times, and by many people. That there will be no further currency legislation until we shall have experienced a panic occasioned by this want of elasticity I am convinced."

Subway Bar Closed.

New York, Sept. 28.—The "Subway Tavern," which was opened with prayer by Bishop Potter a year ago, was closed yesterday with picturesque language by the owner, W. H. Skidmore, who, on September 1, essayed to convert the place from a sanctified boozarium to a plain hard-finish ginmill. He threw up his hands at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, paid off his manager and bartender, locked the doors and walked away.

"The business wouldn't pay," declared Mr. Skikmore. "It wouldn't pay with a blessing on it, and it wouldn't pay after we pushed the blessing off. I had to keep moving up and down all the time to prevent cobwebs from forming between the walls. No more building up broken-down Gospel thirst parlors for mine."

Rumor Discredited.

Liverpool, Sept. 28.—There is a disposition in shipping circles to discredit the reports given out yesterday to the effect that an Anglo-Japanese ship owner and carrying combination has been arranged. According to these reports the combine will have a capital of $325,000,000, and proposes to operate some forty steamers between Japan and Liverpool, Antwerp, London, and certain French ports. Men who are interested in shipping affairs decline to place any reliance in the rumors.

Mrs. Roosevelt.

Bridgeport, Conn., Sept. 28.—Mrs. Theodere Roosevelt, wife of the President, arrived in the city this morning on the 12:27 a. m. train on her return from Boston, where she has been the past few days looking after the interests of her son, Theodore, jr., who has taken up his studies at Harvard University. A detail of police escorted Mrs. Roosevelt to the landing, where Captain Evans, of the Sylph, was in waiting with a launch. The Sylph left at daybreak for Oyster Bay.

Subornation of Perjury.

Portland, Oregon, Sept. 28.—John Newton Williamson, representative in Congress from Oregon; Dr. Van Gesner, his partner, and Marion R. Biggs, their friend and the United States Commissioner for the General Land Office at Prinville, were found guilty by a jury late last night, of the charge of conspiracy to suborn perjury. The penalty for the offense is a fine of not less than $1,000, and not more than $10,000, and imprisonment not more than two years.

Suicide of Letter Carrier.

Utica, N. Y., Sept. 28.—Frederick C. Hope, for nearly a score of years a letter carrier in this city, and who was last week arrested for robbing the mails, committed suicide on a street corner in this city this morning by drinking carbolic acid. Two letters addressed to the coroner were found in Hope's coat pocket, in both of which the suicide expressed his regret at having been delinquent to his trust as a mail carrier. The letters went on further to state that whisky was to blame for his downfall.

Another Advance in Oil.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 28.—The Standard Oil Company's purchasing agents this morning announced the following advance on all grades of oil: Tiona, $1.61; Pennsylvania, $1.51; Pennsylvania seconds, sand, $1.31; Newcastle, $1.33; Corning, $1 08; Cabell county, $1.16; North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 80c; Somerset, 85c.

Treaty Produces Bad Impression.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 28.—The Anglo-Japanese treaty has produced a bad impression here. The newspapers express the hope that Russia will now ally herself with Germany in order to counterbalance the alliance between Great Britain and Japan, which is considered to be aimed at the former nations.

Always Successful.

When indigestion becomes chronic it is dangerous. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will cure indigestion and all troubles resulting therefrom thus preventing Catarrh of the Stomach. Dr. Newbrough of League, W. Va., says: "To those suffering from indigestion or sour stomach I would say there is no better remedy than Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I have prescribed it for a number of my patients with good success" Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

The Market.

Georgetown, Sept. 28.—Wheat 60a80.

DRY GOODS.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Treatment of Consumption.

Boston, Sept. 28.—A vigorous protest against the inhuman treatment of consumptives, sometimes by relatives, but more frequentiy by the general public, was made last night by Sir Henry C. Burdette, K. C. B., of London, England, at a session of the Hospital Superintendents annual conference. "Let us protest," said Sir Henry, "against this running amuck against everything that is believed to be consumption. I have already seen a case in a family where a daughter, who suffered from the disease, has been put into a separate room and the family has looked at her through a window. The result is that the poor girl, who is the daughter of an officer in the army, is now longing for death. Surely, people of education, at any rate, ought to have more common sense and more humanity. I rest my reputation as a professional man on the statement now made, that there is no such contagiouesness about tuberculosis, as should render it necessary for any of this wretched and contemptible panic to possess a family. For we know perfectly well, that with ordinary precautions and with intelligent cooperation of the patient, steps may be taken that will render the disease for purposes of domestic treatment reasonably safe. I believe that many poor people have already been done to death by their friends because of this panic of consumption."

Plans Changed.

Lahore, Iudia, Sept. 28.—The plans for holding the regulation army manoeuvres at Delhi, during the visit of the Prince of Wales and Princess of Wales this winter, have been changed, and instead the manoeuvres will take place at Rawals, Pinde, near the Afghan border. The manoeuvres will consist of a regular campaign which will extend over a fortnight. The problem will be presented to the troops of driving back an invading Russian army, which has succeeded in getting past the frontier posts. It is expected that 30,000 troops will participate in this military operation, which will be under the supreme command of Lord Kitchener, the military commander-in-chief in India.

Bank Robbed.

Harrisburg, Ills., Sept. 28.—Burglars entered the banking house of C. H. Burnett & Sons, at Eldorado, near here, early this morning, wrecking the safe and carrying away about $8,000 and $10,000 in currency and gold. A number of citizens were awakened when the safe was blown open, and arrived at the bank as the robbers were leaving, and gave pursuit. Several dozens of shots were fired on both sides, but owing to the darkness none took effect. Bloodhounds have been put on the trail of the burglars.

Steamer Demolished Pier.

New York, Sept. 28.—While attempting to make a landing at her pier at Brooklyn today, the steamer Grenada of the Trinidad line struck the pier with such force as to cause the roof of the pier to collapse, burying five men, none of whom, however, are thought to be fatally injured. Three men, on the pier at the time of the crash, jumped into the river to escape the falling shed. They were rescued by the crew of the vessel.

Yellow Fever.

New Orleans, Sept. 28.—Only 19 new cases of yellow fever were reported yesterday and five deaths. This is the lowest number of new cases reported since July 26, when 15 cases were reported.

Up to noon today, six new cases of yellow fever and two deaths from the disease were reported.

General Stoessel Paralyzed.

London, Sept. 28.—A Reuter telegram from St. Petersburg states that General Stoessel, the defender of Port Arthur, has been seized with a paralytic stroke.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Sept. 28.—Traders were indifferent to the advance in the Bank of England rate, and the firmer tone for call and time money in this market. The slight recessions from the first sales, and buying orders were put on the market to cause material advances in a number of issues Outside of the few issues which showed exceptional strength the market was a drifting one.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pledged to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constipational disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrah Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimoniala.

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Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, SEP. 28, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:53 a. m. and sets at 5:47 p. m. High water at 7:29 a. m. and 7:50 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and warmer tonight and Friday; light variable winds.

Descent on Jackson City.

As anticipated in the Gazette, Commonwealth's Attorney Crandall Mackey, of Alexandria county, assisted by Justice of the Peace J. E. Supplee, George W. Zachary, one of the school trustees of the county, and a special officer named Pennypacker made a descent upon Jackson City yesterday afternoon. The objective point of the raiding party was a building at the south end of the Long Bridge. The crusade was devoid of anything of an exciting nature. John Nelson, James La Fontaine, J. H. Ryan, C. W. Smith, John W. Hipley, John Tighe, and H. C. Kanoze were placed under arrest and were taken to the courthouse at Fort Myer Heights, where they were at once arraigned before Justice Supplee, who had assisted in the raid. Nelson and Le Fontaine were fined $2,500 each and sentenced to serve six months in the county jail, and the others mentioned were fined $100 each and sentenced to serve thirty days. There is an intimation that the incident is but the preliminary to a legal battle to determine whether the State of Virginia or the District of Columbia has jurisdiction over what is known as Alexander Island. While the former has heretofore exercised jurisdiction over this territory, it is claimed by some attorneys that inasmuch as the "island" is separated from Virginia by tide water if really belongs in the District of Columbia. This is said to have been a mooted question for many years, but Virginia has always exercised undisputed jurisdiction over the island.

The report that Sheriff Palmer refused to lend his aid to the raiding party is denied. Mr. Mackey says the sheriff did his full duty in the matter.

This evening Messrs. Oliver and Brumback, representing the prisoners, appeared before Justice Suplee at the County Court House, noted an appeal and asked that their clients be admitted to bail. An agreement was entered into by which Nelson and LaFontain will give bond in the sum of $2,500 each, and the other prisoners $100 each. All will be released at 5 o'clock this evening.

Arraigned on Two Charges.

A warrant was issued a few days ago for the arrest of John Dogan, colored, a well-known patron of the Police Court, on the charge of disorderly conduct. Dogan had been dodging the police until yesterday, when Officers Lyles and Mayhugh got on his track and started in pursuit. While fleeing from the officers Dogan hid in Mr. Eli Dove's stable and stole a set of harness, and when caught had the property in his possession. He was asleep alongside the wall at Colross when the officers came upon him. He was arraigned in the Police Court this morning when he was dismissed on the charge of disorderly conduct, but sent to jail for 90 days for stealing the harness.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

John Dogan, colored, arrested by Officers Lyles and Mayhugh charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed. Dogan was immediately arraigned on the charge of stealing harness from Eli Dove and sentenced to 90 days in jail.

Sarah Alexander, colored, arrested by Officers Smith and Nicholson charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

Robert Dewey, colored, charged with the larceny of a pair of pants, was fined $10.

Asks for Limited Divorce.

R. Annette Javins has filed, in the District of Columbia Supreme Court, a suit for a limited divorce from Harry W. Javins. The couple were married while in Alexandria, Va., November 2, 1899, but have resided in Washington for the last four years. Cruel treatment is alleged in the petition filed by Attorney William B. Kelly. The court is asked to award the custody of the child of the couple to the complainant. An injunction to prevent the defendant from molesting the petitioner is also requested.

Approaching Completion.

Mr. John Callahan, general manager of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company, has returned from a visit to Wilmington, Del., where he went to inspect the progress being made on the new steamer Woodbury, at the yard of the Harlan & Hollingsworth corporation. Mr. Callahan states that the engine and boiler have been placed in the new steamer and that work is being pushed rapidly on her deck houses. The Woodbury will be ready for her dock trial in about two weeks, and will be ready for service in about a month.

For the Penitentiary.

Guard Smith, of the Richmond penitentiary, arrived here today from Fairfax Courthouse with seven juvenile convicts, who were recently sentenced by the court in Fairfax to serve various terms in the penitentiary for grand larceny. In the group were a youth named Robinson and two named Downs, the trio being natives of this city, who had been giving the police trouble for some time. They were placed aboard a Washington-Southern train which left here at this evening.

An Equal Division.

Chief Pettey, of the Fire Department, who yesterday received from the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company a check for $100 in appreciation of the work of the Alexandria firemen in saving the property of that company from destruction during a recent fire, has divided the money equally between the three active fire companies giving $33 to each. With the odd dollar he purchased two bushels of oats for additional feed for his horse, Grape Shot.

Rummage Sale.

The rummage sale at Lee Camp Hall is still in progress and will be continued until Monday. The ladies of the camp have charge of the sale. A number of donations which had been promised have not yet reached the hall. The ladies express the wish that such be sent in as soon as possible.

Personal.

Miss Maggie Hepburn is quite sick at her home on Queen street.

Mr. W. G. Burnham, of the firm of Lewis & Burnham, architects, of Lynchburg, is on a short visit to relatives at Braddock Heights.

Mrs. W. L. Martin, who has been visiting her sisters at Clifton Beach this summer and who was taken seriously ill about six weeks ago was brought home today. She is quite ill yet.

Miss Virginia Nalls, who has been visiting her aunt on King street, left yesterday for her home in Loudoun county.

Miss Alice Wise, daughter of Mr. W. N. Wise, of Leesburg, and who has many friends in this city, was operated upon for appendicitis yesterday.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, of Alexandria, will speak in Christ Church parish house Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Barrett's theme will be "Rescue Work Among Women." She is the general superintendent of Mr. Crittendon's great work in the United States, which means fifty-three homes at different points, as well as many in foreign countries.—[Norfolk Ledger.

Mrs. E. A. Proctor has returned from a very pleasant trip to Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Toronto and other places of interest.

Miss Mary Tasker Bowie, daughter of the late Mr. Thomas John Bowie, of Grasslands, and Mr. N. Ernest Dorsey, of Annapolis Junction and Washington, were wedded at Annapolis, Md., yesterday evening. Among those in attendance was Miss Phil Wattles, of Alexandria.

Mrs. Wm. H. F. Finke has returned from a delightful visit to friends in Baltimore and in the north.

Mrs. Albert Smoot, who spent the summer at Bluemont, has returned to her home in this city.

Mrs. W. B. Daingerfield has returned from Charlestown, W. Va., where she spent the summer.

Mrs. B. W. Jamieson has returned from Saratoga Springs.

The September "Men and Women," of Cincinnati, has an article by Rev. Richard L. Carne, formerly Superintendent of the Alexandria schools, on "How I Made Friends of Boys."

The many friends of Mr. Tom McKeown will be glad to learn that the position under the government to which he was appointed some time ago and transferred to Omaha, Neb., is permanent with a large salary. Mrs. McKeown, who was Miss Elsie Kerby, of Fairfax county, with her children, left for Omaha last week. Their many friends wish them much prosperity in their far off home.

Mr. Gordon Hagar and Miss Nellie L. Bolton were married at the parsonage of the M. E. Church South yesterday afternoon by Rev. J. P. Stump.

New Road.

The Washington-Southern Railway Company has determined to construct a modern roadway sixty feet wide from the southern end of their new depot to connect with the West End road. While this will be primarily for the use of patrons of the road, it will also make a fine driveway from the King street road west of the depot building to West End, or what is now called Duke street extended. People living anywhere west or south of the site of the site of the old Catts tavern will thus be enabled in the future to enter the city via King or Duke street. The railway company has purchased another small piece of land which will be used in connection with the purposed road. The company, it is said, intends to beautify and park the hill west of their new union depot.

A Deaf Mute Student.

Among the students at the Episcopal Theological Seminary, near this city, is Mr. Geo. F. Flick, a deaf mute graduate of Gallaudet College, from Ohio. Mr. Flick has been assisting Rev. Oliver J. Whelden in deaf mute missionary work in Washington and Baltimore for the past two or three years and will take orders at the seminary next June and be assigned to the work permanently. The Episcopal church has half a dozen deaf mute ministers engaged in this work and considers the results accomplished most gratifying.

The See Sees are Merry.

The Alexandria Knights of Columbus enjoyed their September banquet at the Elkton last night. An abundant menu and an hour of quiet fun, with joke, incident and song added another to the pleasant nights Christopher Columbus made possible for Alexandria. German seemed the prevailing language of the evening. There were calls for "Dutch," but he did not appear.

Grace Church Concert.

Miss Lucy M. Graves and Mrs. Daniel Steers, of Washington, will sing two duets at the concert to be held next Thursday night—"The Fairies' Revel" by Frederick Gouch, and "Last Night," by Heinrich Kiehl. Mr. J. Harris Franklin will sing "The Two Grenadiers," by Schubert. These singers need no introduction, for they are already favorites with music lovers.

Death of Mrs. Myers.

Mrs. Stella J. Myers, wife of Conductor Conrad Myers of the electric railway, died at her home on Columbus street at an early hour this morning. The deceased was 30 years old. She was a native of King George county, and her remains will be forwarded to Smith's landing Saturday by Demaine & Son.

Splendid Fishing.

People from Quantico and Occoquan say fishermen are having abundant luck at those points. Black bass and large yellow perch of fine varieties are being caught by hook and line. The water is now in a good condition for angling, and many are engaging in the sport.

Banquet Tonight.

The Alexandria Hibernians will give a banquet at the Elkton tonight. Every arrangement for the event has been made, and an enjoyable time is anticipated by all who purpose to attend.

Strikes Hidden Rocks.

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. Kings's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The sound of the razzle dazze is dying out.

Lucille, the three-year-old daughter of Mrs. Ida V. and the late R. J. Toy, died yesterday.

Mr. C. A. Padgett has a peach, which was taken from a tree in the southeastern portion of the city, which weighs 12½ ounces.

In the Corporation Court today administration upon the estate of the late Edward G. Ramsay was granted to his father Joseph H. Ramsay.

A marriage license were issued in Washington yesterday to William A. Ficklin and Florence B. Laws, both of Fauquier county.

An employee of the Western Union Telegraph Company fell from a pole in this city today and dislocated one of his ankles. He was taken to the Alexandria Hospital for treatment.

Dining room open every Sunday during oyster season. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

At the State democratic convention held in Baltimore today, Dr. Gordon T. Atkinson was renominated for State comptroller and the Poe amendment was boomed.

Rev. Dr. Silas C. Swallow, who was the prohibition candidate for President last year, while preaching the funeral sermon at Harrisburg, Pa., today, over the corpse of Taylor Garland, startled his hearers by charging, by implication that the high officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad, were responsible for the death of Mr. Garland, and the others killed in Paoli wreck. The luxuriousness of the officials is mentioned as the cause of disaster.

Virtue of Snuff.

The London Lancet says: It would be very interesting to know how often persons suffering from any trouble of upper air surfaces use snuff. Since snuff has almost gone out of use, influenza, catarrh and other troubles seem to have increased.

OLD ALECK'S RELICS.

The following was written by a lady of Alexandria in reply to a poetic invitation (written on a postal card) extended her to come to Long Island and enjoy the gaieties of the resorts along there and to disport upon the waves of the Atlantic:

Dear Mrs. L—.
Useless to tell, for well you know it,
I'm not, like you, a gifted poet.
I've made a mistake, in my distress,
For I should have said, a poet-ess;
But my schooling was a three leg'd stool,
In consequence, I was raised a fool.
So, when, for you, a jingle I make,
You will have to excuse each mistake.
Remember, I'm a rusty relic,
Living in the town of Old Aleck,
Another such will be seldom seen,
As most of our streets are grown with green
Grass, which we find no trouble to raise
For the many who come here to gaze
Upon the curios we possess,
And some are Confed-some are U. S.
One is Christ Church, of historic lore,
It comes first, but we have many more,
And in that edifice you will see
The pews of Washington and Robt Lee.
The sounding board, over the pulpit,
Your eyes cannot fail to rest on it.
The centre piece, with its crystals clear?
Is the very same old chandelier
Which burnt its candles in George's day,
But to gas—lit-ones, it now gives way.
Then, there's the cushion in his pew,
(And a secret, which I give to you,)
Not one of the old buttons are there,
Nor does there remain a single hair
Of those past times, cherish'd and olden,
For ev'ry one has long been stolen.
Yes, e'ven now, visitors play their tricks
And carry off what they call "relics"
And frequently are heard to declare,
They're got a lock of the Wash-pew hair.
Robbers of the church are nothing new,
They steal from Robert E. Lee's pew too,
And like so many of the sneak thieves,
Go ladened away with ivy leaves,
Which I know to be the solemn truth
Came from the Castle of Kenilworth.
Then, Aleck, has its lodge Masonic,
Another place, most historic.
The Bible, apron, of Washington,
For all who desire to look upon.
If you're not divorced, I'll tell you this,
Upon that Book you can press a kiss,
And if you have never told a lie,
You're invited George's chair to try,
And, if in your heart, you honest feel,
You may touch the key of the Bastile.
Next—In mem'ry of our sacred dead
Is the monument, we call "Confed"—
Erected to the Grey, who fell in fights,
Believing they were defending rights
The bravest men under the sun,
Not excepting Washington.
There's the Friendship engine, with its bell,
And, also, the old City Hotel.
Then the Carlyle House, with its wall,
Are each of great interest to all.
The Marshall, of Jackson-Ellsworth fame,
To me, looking pretty much the same
As it did in eighteen sixty-one,
The year in which that deed was done.
Another place, I must not forget,
From which is issu'd old Aleck's Gazette,
A paper on which you may depend,
Being just to both its foe and friend,
Relied upon by the whole nation.
And has been since in circulation.
The hospitality of this town,
Both far and near, is of great renown.
Even the old horse known its ways
And often upon our streets will graze.
The snakes, too, every now and then
Creep along to tempt women and men.
Chickens, dogs, cats of every kind
You'll be apt right here to find;
And last, not least, our police station,
Which tries to harbor ev'ry nation;
And it is claimed a thing most hard
To catch the police off their guard.
Yet, by many, 'tis called a "great treat"
To find a policeman on his beat.
From the above you'll see I know it,
"One must be born, not made, a poet."
When in this town you again shall be,
Forget not your old friend, M. L. C.

P. S. You will see I've tried mighty hard
To make verses like came on your card;
But, alas! can ne'er stand in your ranks,
Yet, anyhow, I send you thanks;
Also fond love to each of you,
Which do believe is sincere and true.

Old Aleck, Va., August 5, 1905.

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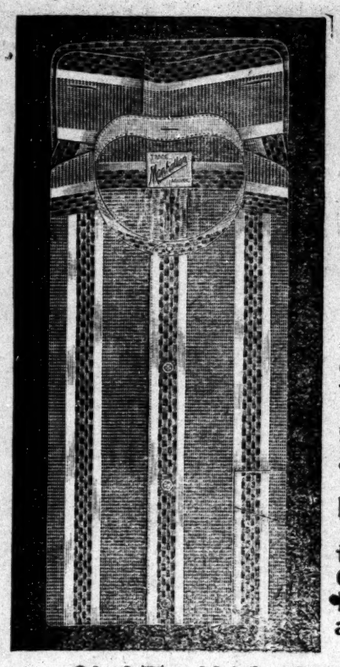

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Fancy Vase Lamps from 98c to $10.

Nickel Lamps, complete with white dome shade, $1.50.

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Action Postponed.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 28.—The motion which was to have been made before United States Commissioner Charles M. Davison, this morning, in relation to Frederick A. Peckham, of New York, has been postponed indefinitely. This is the case which Peckhan was recently indicted for complicity in the cotton report leak, and who furnished bail here in ten thousand dollars, Edward E. Starbuck and William W. Blackmere, a local bank official, qualifying as his bondsmen. Peckham left here last night for New York.

Best For Children.

Mothers, be careful of the health of your children. Look out for Coughs, Cold, Croup and Whooping Cough. Stop them in time—One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy. Harmless and pleasant. Contains no opiates. Sold by W. F. Creighton, and Co., 401 King street.

Free School Tickets.

The old reliable Spencerian Business College, corner 9th and D streets northwest, Washington, D. C., is controlled by Mr. and Mrs. R. P. W. Stiehl. They will pay your car fare if you take either the business course, shorthand and typewriting course, or the Ideal combination course by the monthly installment plan. See pages 9, 10 and 11 of special announcement. Call, write or telephone for information.

REMOVAL—On and after Friday, September 29, and until the completion of the new building, corner King and Pitt streets, the drug store of Edgar Warfield, jr., will be located at the store recently occupied by Mr. D. H. Appich, No. 525 King street.
sep27 3t

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Loeffler's Celebrated Sausage.

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Manassas Goes "Wet" Again.

Manassas, after having been a dry town since May 1 of this year, will soon have open saloons again. The town council will recommend to the Circuit Court the Manassas Hotel, the Prince William Hotel and the Curry House for an ordinary license, and Wade Goodwin, F. R. Morgan and P. A. Lynch for a license to sell liquor by retail. The applications of Goodwin and Morgan will be contested before the court. The council refused to recommend H. C. Leary for license, and the recommendations of Morgan and Goodwin will be accompanied by a signed protest from three members of the council.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Aids Nature.

Medicines that aid nature are always most effectual. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It allays the cough, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the secretions, and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. It is famous for its cures over a large part of the civilized world. Thousands have testified to its superior excellence. It counteracts any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

FOR SALE.—The front of the store at the northwest corner of King and Pitt streets. This includes two plate glass windows 6 feet, 3 inches by 6 feet, 6 inches, and side window, a double glass door and a pair of iron steps. Apply on premises to
sep27 3t EDGAR WARFIELD, JR.

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Paper that sold from 12 1-2c to 18c to go at 6c. All others to go at 15c per piece regardless of cost.

25c Shades, - - - - - - 19c.
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4 Gross Jelly Glasses.

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We have a pretty big trade in Coffee, and it's getting bigger every week. At 20c a pound our bourbon blend coffee is absolutely the best in Alexandria.

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LOST.

LOST—On the street, on Thursday night last, a DIAMOND RING in the shape of a Clover Leaf, with three diamonds. A suitable reward will be paid for its return to No. 501 Cameron street. sep26 3t*

FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., Sept. 21, 1905.
Commencing on the first of October this bank will close on Saturdays at 2 p. m. for the next six months. C. R. HOOFF,
sep21,22,27,29 President.

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We Wish to Thank the Public For Its Approval of Our Methods. This Has Been Shown by the Generous Patronage Since the Opening of This Store.

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Table Linens, Napkins and Towels, better values than ever for fall trade. Half Linen, 58 inches, Table Damask, 18c. Linen Dinner Napkins, 98c a dozen.

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Alexandria, Va., September 18, 1905.

The partnership heretofore existing between George H Harlow and William K. Harlow, under under the firm name and style of HARLOW BROTHERS, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, George H. Harlow retiring from the firm. The business will be continued under the firm name, and all debts due to the said partnership, and those due by it, will be settled with and by the remaining partner.

We take this opportunity to thank our customers for their past favors, and solicit a continuance of their patronage for the new firm. GEORGE H. HARLOW.

sep21 3t WILLIAM K. HARLOW.

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MEETINGS.

A CALLED MEETING of the stockholders of THE GRAY MEDICINE MANUFACTURING COMPANY will be held at 119 south Fairfax street, in MONDAY, October 2, 1905, at 11 o'clock a. m.

sep18 td M. B. HARLOW, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the CRYSTAL PLATE ICE COMPANY will be held at the offices of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on TUESDAY, October 3, 1905, at 11 o'clock a. m.

JOHN L. WEAVER, Secretary.

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U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, 1000 22d St., N. W., Washington, D. C., Sept. 21, 1905.—Sealed proposals for dredging in Breton Bay, Md., Occoquan and Carters Creeks, and Mattaponi and Pamunkey Rivers, Va., will be received here until 12 m., October 21, 1905, and then publicly opened. Information on application. R. L. HOXIE, Lt. Col., Engrs.

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SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court or the city of Alexandria, Virginia, entered on the 27th day of July, 1905, in the chancery suit therein pending, wherein Catherine Amelia Triplett was the plaintiff and William Thomas Triplett, et als., were defendants, the undersigned will sell at public auction in front of the Market building on Royal street on

THURSDAY,

the 5th day of October, 1905,

at 12 o'clock m., the following real estate in the city of Alexandria, Virginia.

1. Beginning on the east side of St. Asaph street, between Gibbon and Franklin streets, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at a point one hundred and twenty-two feet south of Gibbon street, and at the south line of Nickens' lot, and running thence south on St. Asaph street seventeen feet three inches; thence east parallel with Franklin street one hundred and thirteen feet five inches to a ten feet alley running from Franklin street to Gibbon street; thence north and binding on said alley seventeen feet three inches; thence west parallel with Gibbon street one hundred and thirteen feet five inches to the point of beginning, with right of way over said alley in common with others entitled thereto.

2. Beginning on the east side of St. Asaph street, between Gibbon and Franklin streets, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at a point one hundred and thirty-nine feet three inches south of Gibbon street and seventeen feet three inches south of the south line of Nickens' lot, and running thence south on St. Asaph street seventeen feet three inches; thence east parallel with Franklin street one hundred and thirteen feet five inches to a ten feet alley running from Franklin street to Gibbon street; thence north and binding on said alley seventeen feet three inches; thence west parallel with Gibbon street one hundred and thirteen feet five inches to the point of beginning, with the right of way over said alley in common with others entitled thereto.

3. The house and lot begining on the east side of Fairfax street at a point ninety-four feet ten and one-third inches from the south side of Gibbon street and running southwardly with Fairfax street seventeen and one-half feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Gibbon street one hundred and twenty-three feet five inches, more or less; thence northwardly parallel to Fairfax street seventeen and one-half feet, and thence westwardly to the place of beginning, being the same property which was conveyed to William Triplett by George W. Harris by deed bearing date on the 19th day of August, 1870, and duly recorded in Deed Book No. 2, page 7, all of said property being situate in the city of Alexandria, Virginia.

Terms of Sale: To be one-third in cash and the balance in 6 and 12 months, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser.

J. K. M. NORTON,
Commissioner of Sale.

I hereby certify that the bond required by the above decree of sale has been given.

Given under my hand this 15th day of September, 1905.

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.

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PUBLIC SALE OF LANDS AT POTOMAC CITY, OR QUANTICO, VA., MONDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1905.

By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered on the 31st day of July, 1905, in the chancery cause of Myers' executors vs. Max Lansburgh and others, the undersigned special commissioners will offer for resale at public auction at 12:30 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY,

the 23rd day of October, 1905,

at Potomac City, or Quantico, Virginia, the following real estate:

1. Lot of ground with two story dwelling thereon, sold at the sale in this cause made June 5th, 1905, to Richard Kelley.

2. Lot of ground with dwelling house thereon, occupied by Armistead Mitchell sold at the sale in this cause made June 5th, 1905, to Dan Johnson.

3. Lot of ground with one story store thereon, sold at the sale in this cause made June 5th, 1905, to Ralph Fick.

4. Lot of ground 50 by 200 feet with stable and barn thereon in rear of hotel property, sold at the sale in this cause made June 5th, 1905, to Alfred Johnson.

5. One acre of land known as the Herndon lot, sold at the sale in this cause made June 5th, 1905, to L. A. Clark.

6. The Dowell tract, containing 40 acres, sold at the sale in this cause made June 5th, 1905, to Richard Kelley:

And will on the same day at the same hour and place offer for sale so many of the building lots situated at Quantico or Potomac City, as shown upon the plat filed in this cause, as may be necessary to raise the residue of the money required to satisfy the decree, interest and costs entered in this cause by the said court, amounting to not exceeding one thousand dollars.

Terms of sale: One-third of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale and the residue in two equal installments at six and twelve months from date of sale, with interest on the deferred installments from date of sale until paid, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, the deferred installments to be evidenced by the notes of the purchasers with approved personal security and the title to be retained until the payment of the purchase money in full. All conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers.

J. B. T. THORNTON,
JAMES R. CATON,
Special Commissioners of Sale.

I, Charles Bendheim, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, do certify that James R. Caton has executed bond with approved surety as required by the decree in the above cause, and conditioned according to law and as said decree directs.

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.

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Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, SEP. 28, 1905.

Duel in Express Car.

John E. Ryan, of Chicago, Pacific express messenger on Wabash passenger train No. 13, and Edward Greene, also of Chicago, a former express messenger, fought with pistols in Ryan's car yesterday. Both were seriously wounded and may die. On arrival at Decatur, Ill., Ryan was taken to the Wabash Hospital and Greene to St. Mary's Hospital.

Conflicting stories are told by the combatants. Greene says that he got on the express car at Forty-seventh street, Chicago, intending to go to his home, at Pittsfield, to visit relatives. He was an old friend, and Ryan, Greene claims, permitted him to ride. Greene says he assisted Ryan with the express matter and that they began drinking. Jokes led to a quarrel and, Greene says, he and Ryan drew pistols at the same time.

Ryan's story is that he did not see Greene in the car until the train reached Cerro Gordo. Believing that Greene had jumped in for the purpose of robbery, Ryan fired at him. According to Ryan, they clinched and, with revolvers drawn, rolled about on the car floor. Finally separating, each sought shelter in the car and waited for the other to expose himself. Just as the train was near Decatur, Ryan says he and Greene fired and both went down, but were on their feet in a short time, and the duel continued until the train reached the outskirts of Decatur, when Greene opened a door and jumped from the car. He was unable to run and was found an hour later by the police.

Greene has one bullet in the breast and another in the right lung, while a third ball lodged in the fleshy part of the abdomen. Ryan was shot in the left jaw, in the left ear and in the left shoulder. None of the trainmen was aware of the fight in the express car until the train reached Decatur. Surprised to find the express car door open, trainmen boarded the car and discovered Ryan in a pool of blood on the floor.

Incredible Brutality

It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lemberger, of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "cut a fearful gash over his eye, so I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which quickly healed it and saved his eye." Good for burns and ulcers too. Only 25c at E. S. Leadbeater and Sons, drug store.

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Of Cholera Morbus with One Small Bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Mr. G. W. Fowler of Hightower, Ala., relates an experience he had while serving on a petit jury in a murder case at Edwardsville, county seat of Clebourne county, Alabama. He says: "While there I ate some fresh meat and some souse meat and it gave me cholera morbus in a very severe form. I was never more sick in my life and sent to the drug store for a certain cholera mixture, but the druggist sent me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy instead, saying that he had what I sent for, but that this medicine was so much better he would rather send it to me in the fix I was in. I took one dose of it and was better in five minutes. The second dose cured me entirely. Two fellow jurors were afflicted in the same manner and one twenty-five cent bottle cured the three of us." For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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New Dress Plaids, yard 12½c, 25c and.....	50c
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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 7th day of September, 1905.

Mary Boyce vs. George P. Boyce } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the complainant, Mary Boyce, from the defendant, George P. Boyce.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, George P. Boyce, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste:

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.

By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.

Samuel G. Brent, p. q.

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VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of September, 1905.

Samuel L. Bell vs. Carrie M. Bell } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute decree divorcing from the bonds of matrimony the said Samuel L. Bell, forever, from the said Carrie M. Bell.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Carrie M. Bell, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x, 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15 12 35, 1 00, 1 25 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30 6 45x, 7 00, 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m.

Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40, 11 00, 1 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 37, 2 32, 3 32, 4 22, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40 3 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 00, 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p m.

FOR ROSSLYN

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 11 15 a. m 12 15, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

Baggage checked and carried on the following trains from Alexandria for Washington week days: 8 30 and 10 25 a. m., 1 00, 3 00 and 6 10 p. m.

Sundays—8 15 a. m. and 6 20 p. m.

Parcels carried.

Freight carried daily, morning and evening, in each direction. No freight accepted unless delivered at the station at least 30 minutes before the departure of the freight trains.

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SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Schedule effective July 23, 1905.

Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:

7:55 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonbur Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:05 P. M.—Daily—Washington and South western Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham, Memphis and New Orleans. Dining car service

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria 8:18 A. M., 1:40, 4:23 and 4:53 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:33 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:00 A. M. and 6:33 P. M on Sundays only for Bluemont.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:17, 6:32, 9:23, 9 33 A. M. and 2:40, 9:10 and 9:30 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:35 A. M. week days and 9:00 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 8:05 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:00 P. M. daily.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.

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Washington, D. C.

Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect April 16, 1905.

Trains leave station western end of Prince street for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 52 a. m., 12 21, 2 54, 7 08 8 19, and 11 34 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 52 a. m., 12 21, 7 08, 8 19 and 11 34 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 56 (local), and 11 05 a. m., 3:59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 3 59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m.

Accommodation for Quantico 7 56 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 32 p m. except Saturdays.

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PROPOSALS.

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT, Washington, D. C., September 12, 1905. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Thursday, Sept. 28, 1905, for constructing sewer from coal testing plant on U. S. Reservation, at south end of Aqueduct Bridge, Rosslyn, Va., to the Potomac River. Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Constructing Sewer," and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot. sep13,14,26,27

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